SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 21st November 1916.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 18th November 1916, regarding the auction sales of timber in the depots of the Sagar Division, published on pages 899 and 900 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 30th November 1916.

M. VENKATANARASAPPA,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DISTRICT.

Notification, dated Chikmagalur, 27th November 1916.

It is hereby brought to the notice of the public that seven Teak pieces measuring 38'—5" cubic feet which were found felled in the Aramballi Forest are lying in the custody of the Range Officer, Narasimharajapura. Claimants, if any, for the said property should prefer their claim within one month from the date of the publication of the notification, before the Range Officer, Narasimharajapura, failing which the said property will be confiscated to Government.

Notification, dated Chikmagalur, 1st December 1916.

It is hereby brought to the notice of the public that the undermentioned timber which were found felled in the jungles adjoining Agalagandi village, Megunda hobli in Koppa Taluk, are lying in the custody of one Shankraiya of Byredevaru village. Claimants, if any, for the said property should prefer their claim within one month from the date of the publication of the notice, before the Range Officer, Koppa, failing which the same will be confiscated to Government:—

Kind	No.	C. ft.
1. Hebbalasu	8	323-1
2. Honne	2	11-1
3. Dhupa	1	8-0
4. Halasu	1	21-9
Total	12	363-11

M. MACHAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

CHANNAGIRI RANGE.

PAPLI BARK.

Auction sale Notification dated 15th November 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting papli bark on all Government unoccupied lands, plantations and State Forest from 15th December 1916 to 30th June 1917, in the Channagiri Range, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer concerned on the 9th December 1916 at the Channagiri Range Office. The auction will commence at 2 P.M.

2. Defaulters on account of leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 20. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

4. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, who at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason thereof.

5. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Taluk Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, who will be liable to make good any loss, that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

6. If the sale is not confirmed by the District Forest Officer, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

7. Within ten days of the information of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the

conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank one-quarter of the sale amount as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of lease.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease. Further conditions to be entered in the agreement.

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or Range Officer or any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer an account of quantity of the bark collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for cartload in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) The lessee should be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the State Forests or plantations, if there is sufficient reason for the Forest Department to think that it has been caused by his negligence or by that of his employees. He must be ready to pay such penalty as may be fixed by the District Forest Officer in all such cases.

(*i*) To remove out of the limit of the district before 31st July 1917, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*j*) In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

N. CHINNIAH CHETTY,
Sub-Assistant Conservator.

CENTRAL COLLEGE HOSTEL, BANGALORE.

Dated 16th November 1916.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to Friday, the 15th December 1916, by the President, Central College, Hostel, Bangalore, for the supply of articles (as per list subjoined) required for the Central College Hostel, Bangalore, from 1st January 1917 to 31st December 1917.

2. No tender will be received after the date above mentioned.

3. Tenders are to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of articles for the Central College, Hostel, Bangalore."

4. No tender will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100, in cash or currency notes, which will be returned in the case of those whose tenders are not accepted.

5. Tenders will be opened by the President, Central College Hostel, Bangalore, on Saturday, the 16th December 1916, in the presence of such of the tenderers as may choose to attend at 8 A.M. at the Central College.

6. The President reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

7. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 500 in cash within three days from the date of acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

8. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payments for the articles supplied will be made by the Warden, as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

9. The contractor must submit his bill in English, for the cost of all articles supplied with calculations correctly made, before the 5th of each month.

10. A store-room will be made over to the contractor, in which he can keep all non-perishable articles and at least a month's supply of these should always be kept in the room. All perishable articles such as meat, curds, etc., should be at the Hostel by 6 A.M. at the latest daily. All articles should be of the best sort, thoroughly cleaned and ready for use.